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In re Application of :  
Frank X. Smith :  
Application No. 09/706,318 :  
Filed: November 4, 2000 :  
Attorney Docket No. 90337/032702 :

**ON PETITION**

This is a decision on the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed September 19, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.


The petition is **GRANTED**.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114; (2) the petition fee of \$665; and (3) an adequate statement of unintentional delay.

This application is being revived for consideration of the RCE.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3223.

The application file is being referred to Technology Center 1600.

  
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